

In re Patent Application of

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Date: November 29, 2002

Title: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated July 30, 2002, (for which is petitioned a
one month time extension), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claim(s) for corresponding claim(s)
previously presented. A copy of the amended claim(s) showing current revisions is
attached.

Please cancel claim 2 in view of the amendment made to claim 1.

1. (Amended) A liquid crystal display device comprising a pair of substrates and
a liquid crystal layer provided between the substrates, wherein liquid crystal molecules in
the liquid crystal layer have a negative dielectric anisotropy, and the liquid crystal

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